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Hi Tina;

Are these statistics and statements accurate, based on the latest information you may have?

Thanks, Mike

### 1. The National Picture

- a. Phosphorus: 4 states with statewide criteria (HI, WI, FL, NJ) 10 with site-specific criteria
- b. Nitrogen: 3 states with statewide criteria (HI, FL, VT), 6 with site-specific criteria
- c. Criteria established by the other states similar in concentration to the criteria being proposed for Montana
- d. EPA continues to expect states to pursue nutrient abatement policies and regulations, including numeric nutrient criteria